NOVEMBER 2, 2004 ELECTION PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE

PARISHWIDE PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: AMENDING SECTION 9.03(d) OF THE PLAN OF GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF BATON ROUGE AND PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE RELATING TO THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATOR.

Shall the Plan of Government of the City of Baton Rouge and Parish of East Baton Rouge be amended pursuant to the authority conferred by Article VI, Section 5 (A) of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974 (the "Constitution"), Article VI, Section 22 of the Constitution, Section 1395.4 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, Section 11.09 of the Plan of Government, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, for the purpose of amending Section 9.03(d) of the Plan of Government for the purpose of deleting the provision in Section 9.03(d) of the Plan of Government relating to the maintenance of eligible lists for all original appointments and whenever it shall be determined in accordance with the rules of the Personnel Board to be practicable, for promotions, for each class or position in the Classified Service, by the Personnel Administrator, and to provide in replacement thereof that on and after January 1, 2005, the Personnel Administrator shall have power and be required to maintain eligible lists based on open competitive examinations for all original appointments and whenever it shall be determined in accordance with the rules of the Personnel Board to be practicable, for promotions, for each class or position in the Classified Service, and whenever a vacancy is to be filled certify the names of the individuals in the top five grade groups standing highest on the eligible lists applicable to the position concerned, and further that a grade group shall consist of all candidates with the same grade and must include at least one available candidate to be considered a group, and if there are on such eligible lists less than five groups it shall be the duty of the Personnel Administrator to give notice of and hold an examination for the recruitment of such list, and if after such examination there still are fewer than five groups on such eligible lists the Personnel Administrator shall certify all such names, and further providing that all other provisions of Section 9.03(d) of the Plan of Government shall remain the same?